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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Michio SEKI et al.	) Group Art Unit: 2154
Application No.: 10/602,678	) ) Examiner: Dustin Nguyen )
Filed: June 25, 2003	) Confirmation No.: 1969
For: ELECTRONIC APPARATUS, NETWORK SYSTEM, RELAY APPARATUS, AND STATUS CONTROL METHOD	) ) ) )

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 5, 2007, Applicants file concurrently herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and amend this application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.

Attachments are included in this paper.